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E.O. 11652: GDS  
TAGS: PDIP PLO PO  
SUBJECT: PALESTINIAN REPRESENTATION IN PORTUGAL

REF: STATE 91578

1. NEITHER THE PLO NOR ANY OTHER PALESTINIAN ORGANIZATION IS REPRESENTED IN PORTUGAL.
2. IN EARLY 1977, THE PLO INFORMALLY APPROACHED THE PORTUGUESE IN VIENNA TO DISCUSS THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A PLO OFFICE IN LISBON. THE GOP INDICATED THAT THE OPENING OF A PLO INFORMATION OFFICE WOULD NOT BE A PROBLEM. IN LATE 1977, THE PLO APPROACHED THE SOCIALIST PARTY INFORMALLY TO DISCUSS REPRESENTATION WITH FULL DIPLOMATIC PRIVILEGES AND PORTUGUESE FINANCIAL SUPPORT. THE PS WAS NOT PREPARED TO ACCEDE TO EITHER REQUEST. TO DATE, THE GOP HAS RECEIVED NO FORMAL FOLLOW-UP FROM THE PLO OR ANY OTHER PALESTINIAN ORGANIZATION.  
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